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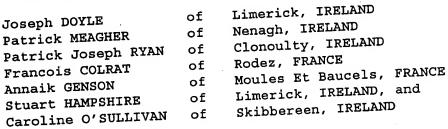
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of



for A PHASE CHANGE INK COMPOSITION. The application comprises a  $\underline{25}$ -page specification, including  $\underline{32}$  claims (5 independent) and Abstract and  $\underline{1}$  sheet of drawings.

A certified copy of European (EP) Application No. 01650006.8, filed January 16, 2001, will be filed in due course, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (without Declaration or Filing Fee). The required Declaration and Filing Fee will be filed subsequently.

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